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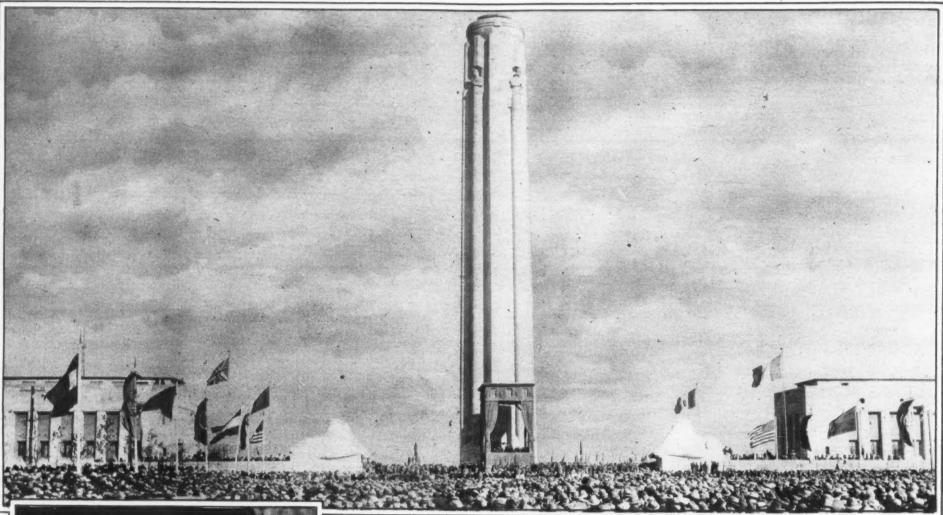
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SPEAKS AT KANSAS CITY
at the Dedication of the Liberty Memorial There.
He Declared That the United States Would Enter
the World Court Only on the Conditions
Laid Down by the Senate.
(Times Wide World Photos.)

QUEEN KATE OF THE
HOUSE OF PADGITT:
A CORONATION
at the Texas Cotton Palace,
Waco, Texas, Placed This
Young Lady Upon a Throne
as Queen Caroline Bonaparte
of Naples and the
Two Sicilies.
(Times Wide World Photos.)

HIGH-HEELED
SHOES OF
LONG AGO:
MRS. G. E. SEILER
Wears a Pair Which
Used to Be Popular in
Manchuria. They Belong to the Frank G.
Carpender Collection of
Footwear, as Do the
Miscellaneous Samples
on the Table. The
Collection Is Now the
Property of the
Smithsonian Institution,
Washington, D. C.
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NEW-LYWEDS OF FILMDOM: DOROTHY MACKAILL

and Lothar Mendes Exchange a Hasty Bill and Coo After Their Wedding at the New York City License Bureau. Miss Mackaill, a Featured Movie Player, Was Born in England; Mr. Mendes, a Well-Known Director, Is German.





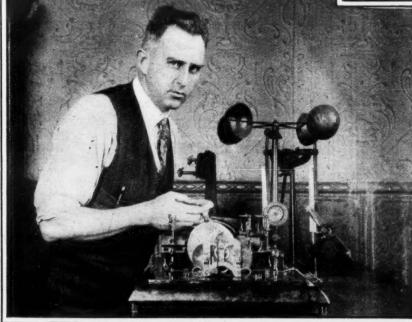
A DEVOTED PET: TOMMY WALLACE,
Son of a Farmer Near Hatfield, Wis., Was Strolling in
the Woods When This Bear Cub Saw Him and Took:
Fancy to Him, Following Him Home and Refusing to
Be Separated From Him. The Cub Has Been Formally
Adopted by Tommy.
(Times Wide World Photos.)

THE ACADEMIC BOB: GIRL STUDENT
BARBERS
at Temple University, Philadelphia, Shear the
Tresses of the Co-Eds Right in the Classrooms
to Aid the Building Fund. Left to Right: Ruth
Giltner, Hannah Kaufman, Frances Dole, Polly
Yocum, Josephine Saylor (the Barber), and
Eleanor Brown in the Barber's Chair.
(Times Wide World Photos.)



"YES, SIR, THAT'S MY BABY": THE ETERNAL INSTINCT OF MOTHERHOOD
Is Exemplified by This Little Orphan Girl Who Lives at the Child's Home in Atlanta and Who Lavishes Much Affection Upon Her Dolly.

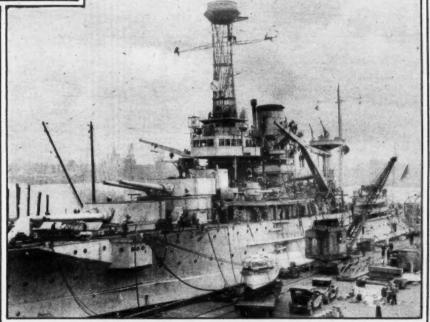
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THE ALPHA AND OMEGA MAN: CAPTAIN JOHN J. MURPHY of the United States Weather Bureau at Eastport, Me., Who Has the First Word to Say About the Easterly Storms That Hit the Seaboard and the Last About the Storms That Pass Out to Sea. (Times Wide World Photos.)

ARRIVAL FROM GERMANY: MARIE KORDA, Screen Star, Has Come to America to Play Before the Camera. Her Husband, Alexander Korda, Is One of the Leading German Film Directors (Times Wide World Photos.)





BLISTERED BUT UNBOWED: THE U. S. S. FLORIDA, Converted Into an Oil Burner and With Her Sides "Blistered," in Accordance With Modern Engineering Theory, as a Protection Against Torpedoes, Leaves the Boston Navy Yard. (Times Wide World Photos.)





A WELL-BEHAVED SKUNK: CHE-CHE Was Adopted by Mr. and Mrs. I. Fenno Elliott of Hyannis, Mass., When He Was Very Young, Under the Impression That He Was a Kitten. He Has Excellent Manners and Is Shown in the Photograph Begging for Food. (Times Wide World Photos.)

General Electric Company for Chicago.

(Times Wide World Photos.)



IN HONOR OF LAURA LA PLANTE: A WEDDING
SHOWER

Was Given Her at the Home of Helen Ferguson in Beverly
Hills, Cal., Before Her Marriage to William Seiter on Nov.

14. Laura Is Seated at the Centre of the Table. Ruth Roland
Is Just Behind Her. Others Present Are Carmel Myers,
Bessie Love, Patsy Ruth Miller, Claire Windsor and a
Brilliant Array Besides.

(Pacific Press Syndicate.)



FAVORITE SON OF THE EMPIRE: H. R. H. THE PRINCE OF WALES in Full Unkform as Colonel-in-Chief of the Welsh Guards, From a Portrait Recently

(Times Wide World Photos.)

Chandor, Prominent English
Artist, Who Is
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LOCKED HORNS: TWO GALLANT STAGS Do Battle for Their Lady Love in Bushey Park, Hampton Court, London.





BEGINNING ITS CAREER OF SERVICE: A 110-TON STORAGE
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Said to Be the Largest Ever Made, Leaves the Erie (Pa.) Works of the Page Eight

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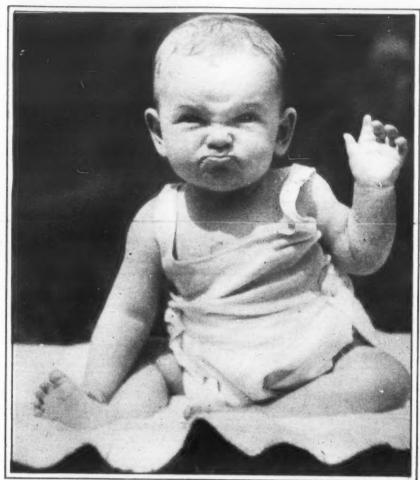
TIDES. By Julian Street, with Ada Street. New York: Doubleday, Page & Co.

T is a stirring picture of life in Chicago in the early '80s that is presented to us in "Tides," the latest work of Julian Street, in which Ada Street collaborated. The city on the shores of Lake Michigan was undergoing a series of changes almost kaleidoscopic in their swiftness and variety. Its tremendous development was already forecast by shrewd promoters, and transactions in real estate were taking on the character of a boom.

One of the pioneers of the city, old Zenas Wheelock, who had made a fortune, looked askance at the new order. and having previously twice moved his residence to avoid being hemmed in, finally settled in Oakland, an attractive suburb. His chagrin was great when he found that a pushing realtor, W. J. Shire, was promoting a real estate development along his street that threatened his peace and seclusion. But this material annoyance was eclipsed by a greater when Luke Holden, whose wife, Nannie, was a great favorite with Wheelock and his daughter Martha, became infatuated with Shire's daughter, a siren free from most inhibitions. Nannie died of a broken heart, leaving a daughter, Blanche, and Holden married the girl who had caused the trouble.

Between Blanche and Wheelock's grandson, Alan, an attachment had existed since childhood, and it had been tacitly understood that some day they would marry. No definite troth, however, had taken place. One of the tides that give the book its name separated the young people for a time, and Blanche, who found life with her stepmother intolerable, was tempted into an elopement by Ray Narcross, a widely traveled and attractive youth, who laid violent siege to her heart.

Alan, now that Blanche was beyond his reach, married Leta Purnell, went into business in Chicago, prospered, moved later to New York and became wealthy. But there was little real congeniality between him and Leta, the latter worldly and ambitious, and Alan knew in his heart that he had never really loved any one but Blanche. The latter was unhappy in her marriage and finally left her husband. Another tide drew Blanche and Alan together, and for a time they were tempted to grasp unhallowed happiness. But by this time the child of one was in love with the child of the other, and an illicit union between the parents became unthinkable. For the sake of their children, therefore, they held their own desires in check. They had learned that the tides of life have little regard for individual happiness.



SHE DOESN'T LIKE THE CAMERA MAN: HARRIET
LOIS CONNER,
7 Months' Old Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Y. Conner of Haddon
Heights, N. J., Makes No Secret of Her Reaction to the Art of
Photography. (J. P. Devir.)



MARRIED IN THE SKY: LIEUTENANT CHESTER DAWSON of Lynn, Mass., and Miss Mae Fanton of Brockton, Mass., Whose Idea of a Real High-Flying Wedding Is a Ceremony Performed in an Airplane Above the Fort Crockett Aviation Field, Galveston, Texas.

(Times Wide World Photos.)



TWO FAMOUS PARTNERS AT TENNIS: HELEN WILLS AND
THE LORD BISHOP OF LONDON,
the Right Rev. Arthur Foley Winnington-Ingram, Played Together
Against "Little Bill" Johnston and Dr. Sumner Hardy During the
California Visit of the Bishop, Who Is 68 Years Old but a Skillful
Player of the Game.

(Times Wide World Photos.)

MAN OF THE WEEK



VINCENT MASSEY. (Keystone View Co.)

REAT interest has been aroused in Canada and the United States by the announcement from Ottawa that the Hon. Vincent Massey had been appointed Canadian Minister to Washington. He is the first in history to take that post.

At different times in the past the proposal to send a Canadian envoy to Washington has been broached. Until recently, however, the British Government had looked askance at the idea, fearing that such a departure from convention would strike at "the diplomatic unity of the empire." It is apparent that this feeling has now given way to the broader theory of selfgoverning and self-functioning units within the British Commonwealth. It is open to doubt, however, whether this could be stretched to the extent of Washington sending an envoy to Ottawa.

Mr. Massey is now in England, where, with Premier Mackenzie King, he has been conferring with the British Government to decide the powers of the Canadian Minister and arrange for cooperation with the British Embassy at Washington.

Mr. Massey, who is 39 years of age, has been a student of international affairs for many years and has been closely associated with a British group, the members of which devote much time to this purpose.

Until his entrance into politics in 1925 he was at the head of the Massey-Harris Company, the largest manufacturers of agricultural implements in the British Empire. He entered the King Cabinet without portfolio in that year, but was defeated in the general election which immediately followed. He was not a candidate in the recent election.

Mr. Massey married a daughter of Sir George Parkin, who was head of the Rhodes Scholarship Trust. The couple have two sons.

The Massey family accumulated a large fortune in business. Members of the family have been generous in contributions to charity, education and the general betterment of Toronto. They built for Toronto Massey Hall, a great auditorium, and for Toronto University, Hart House, which in drama and literature is playing a large part in university life.

For a time it was expected that Mr. Massey would represent the British Empire at Washington in the absence of the British Ambassador, but at the present imperial conference representatives of other units of the empire objected, and his powers and duties will be solely with Canadian affairs.

LIVE-OAKS AND OLD "TABBY" RUINS ON THE GEORGIA COAST





THE OLD TABBY TOMB: IN CHRIST CHURCH-YARD, on St. Simon's Island, Stands This Tomb, Which Is Supposed to Have Been Erected Over the Bodies of British Soldiers Who Fell in the Battle of Bloody Marsh. "Tabby" Is a Material Composed of Oyster Shells, Sand and Shell Lime.



OLDER THAN THE COLONY: THE LOVERS' OAK in Brunswick, Ga., Which Antedates the the Settlement of Brunswick by the English. (Courtesy Coastal Georgians.)



A RELIC OF SPANISH RULE: THE MISSION OF SAN BUENA VENTURA,
on St. Simon's Island. This Is One of the Three Missions Which Were Established on the Island. Only the Ruins of San Buena Ventura
Remain of the Three.
(Courtesy Coastal Georgians.)

HE live-oak is the most individual of trees, no two specimens ever showing close resemblance. Michaux, the botanist, says of it that it grows for a century, stands still for a century and is a century in dying. The "Old Wooden Navy" was built of live-oak timbers from the Georgia coast, and the Government still owns such reservations as Blackbeard Island, acquired for ship timber purposes before 1800.

The sternpost of "Old Ironsides" was hewn from a live-oak that stood on Cannon's Point St. Simon's Island, and other timbers for her frame were cut on Jekyl, Sapeloe and Cumberland Islands. Timbers for the restoration of the historic warship will be supplied from Brunswick city parks and other near-by locations by subscriptions from the school children of the country. Much of the charm of the coast country is due to wonderful live-oaks covered with streamers of Spanish moss.

The only signs of the Spanish occupation of the

Georgia coast from 1566 to 1702 are the remains of old missions built on the islands and the mainland long years before the California missions were founded. Well preserved examples are found on St. Simon's Island and Sapeleo Island (and at Elizabeth, near Brunswick; Tolomato, near Darien, and Marianna, near St. Mary's. The missions were first established in 1566-8 by Jesuits, destroyed by Indians in 1597, and re-established by Franciscans at various times until in 1668 the chain was complete and all the establishments in thriving condition.

The Spanish missions in Georgia were built of "tabby," a concrete structura! material composed of oyster shells, sand and oyster-shell lime, placed in forms and tamped to solidity just as the Portland cement concrete of today is handled. It was used by both Moors and Spaniards in Spain, and the English settlers of Georgia made use of it from the earliest times.

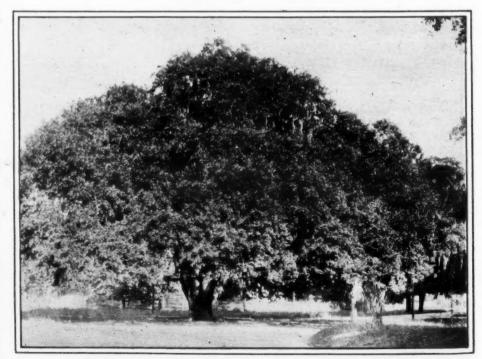
The Spanish origin of these mission structures was lost sight of for more than a century, and has been recently determined by researches in the archives of Madrid, Seville and Havana. The Mission of Santa Maria del Guadaloupe, at Marianna, Camden County, is in fair preservation; San Domingo del Talaje, at Elizafield, near Brunswick, is the most extensive and is given some care by William du Pont, on whose extensive game preserve it is located; San Buena Ventura, on St. Simon's Island, is the most accessible to the public, but is small. The remains at Tolomato include not only mission buildings but also dungeons, a portion of the fortifications and other works.

All the mainland missions and the remains of San Buena Ventura on St. Simon's Island are accessible from the Atlantic Coastal Highway and the Inside Route, the inland waterway. It is a beautiful and romantic trip.



THE POET'S OAK: OVERLOOKING THE SEA MARSHES at Brunswick, Ga. Under This Live-oak Sidney Lanier Wrote His Best-Known Poem, "The Marshes of Glynn."

(Courtesy Coastal Georgians.)



A HISTORIC TREE: THE NEW INVERNESS LIVE-OAK at Darien, Ga., Under Which General James E. Oglethorpe, Founder of the Colony of Georgia, Negotiated in 1732 a Treaty With the Indians for the Establishment of a Settlement of Scotch Highlanders to Be Called New Inverness.

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THE SEA KING'S DAUGHTER: PRINCESS ASTRID OF SWEDEN in Her Bridal Dress, Before She Was Married to Prince Leopold of Belgium in a Civil Ceremony at Stockholm on Nov. 4. The Religious Ceremony Occurred at Brussels on Nov. 10.

(Times Wide World Photos.)

N Nov. 4, amid enthusiastic public rejoicing, Princess Astrid, niece of the King of Sweden, was married in the royal palace at Stockholm to Crown Prince Leopold, son of King Albert and heir to the throne of Belgium. This was a civil ceremony, performed by the Mayor of Stockholm—a strong anti-monarchist, by the way, but evidently a very human being, for he declared that he had not the least objection to uniting in marriage two young people who loved each other, whether they were royalty or commoners. And, as a matter of fact, the marriage of

Astrid and Leopold does seem to be that very rare phenomenon—a love match between members of two reigning families.

As the bride is a Protestant and the groom a Roman Catholic, a religious ceremony took place at the Church of SS. Michael and Gudule, Brussels, on Nov. 10, the Archbishop of Malines officiating. Belgium greeted its new Princess and future Queen with open arms.

Prince Leopold is 25 years old, Princess Astrid 21. She is the daughter of the Duke of Västergötland, brother of the King of Sweden.

She also has the distinction of being the first royal bob-haired bride.





ANTWERP WELCOMES PRINCESS ASTRID:

DECORATED STREETS AND BUILDINGS

and Cheering Crowds Greet Prince Leopold's Bride

From the North.

(Times Wide World Photos.)

A ROYAL GATHERING: THE REIGNING FAMILIES OF FOUR NATIONS,
Belgium, Sweden, Norway and Denmark, Are Represented in This Gathering at the Civil Marriage of Princess Astrid and Prince Leopold at the Royal Palace in Stockholm. The Bride and Groom Are in the Centre of the Top Row. Fourth and Fifth From the Right Are the Kings of Sweden and Belgium.

(Swedish-American News Exchange.)



NEW PRINCESS: CROWN PRINCE LEOPOLD, With His Bride, Princess Astrid, on the Balcony of the Hotel de Ville at Antwerp, Where She Landed From Her Voyage From Her Northern Home. (Times Wide Vorld Photos.)

PEOPLE GET THEIR

> SIGHT OF THEIR



A Reel of Motion Picture News and Comment



A TENSE MOMENT: RENEE ADOREE (Centre), With Antonio Moreno (Right) and Gardner James, in a Scene From "The Flaming Forest" (Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer).

GENUINE soldier of fortune is Victor McLaglen, A who plays the part of the reduced that Flagg in "What Price Glory?", which Fox who plays the part of the redoubtable Captain Films are producing.

Now and then, in watching the daring deeds of movie heroes, the spectator finds himself wondering how those dashing figures would meet such situations in actual life. McLaglen, however, is the authentic article. He has been a soldier, a prospector for gold and silver in the wilds of Canada, a heavyweight prize fighter (in which capacity he once fought Jack Johnson), a wrestler and a circus strong man.

McLaglen is a native of London and was reared in South Africa, where his father, a Bishop of the Church of England, had charge of a diocese. His military career began with the Boer War. At that time, being 14 years old and standing six feet three, he disregarded parental prohibitions and joined the Life Guards. Years of world-wide wandering followed the completion of his term of service. In the World War he fought in Mesopotamia and was Provost Marshal of Bagdad after the capture of that ancient city by the British Army.

He ought to make a corking Captain Flagg.

On Thursday evening, Nov. 18, "The Big Parade" completed its first year on Broadway. During that year 730 performances were given, and as the picture is still packing them in at the Astor Theatre, the run will continue. Ten touring companies are presenting the picture throughout the United States. In London it has reached its thirtieth week. Productions are planned in Paris and Berlin.





PLINE: CHESTER CONKLIN. Wallace Beery and Raymond Hatton (Left to Right) in "We're in the Navy Now" (Paramount).



DOLORES COSTELLO in Warner Brothers' Forthcoming Production of "Manon."

Furthermore, "The Big Parade" richly deserves its success. If it is not the very greatest motion picture of all (about which opinions differ), it belongs very high up in the list. Few pictures have aroused such enthusiasm. The universal testimony of ex-service men who have seen it is that it shows the war "as she was fit."

Two new rôles have been selected for Pola Negri. The first, according to present plans, will be that of Becky Sharp in Thackeray's "Vanity Fair." Then will



plates the Tablet Erected on the Site of the First Hollywood Movie Studio, Which He Opened Oct. 27, 1911.

come a play dealing with the life of Rachel, the famous French tragedienne whose renown was great and whose loves were many. It ought to give great scope to Pola.

Norma Talmadge is to play "Camille," according to rumor from the Coast.

Colonel Tim McCoy has begun a new Western thriller for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. The leading feminine rôle will be played by Joan Crawford. Others in the cast are Roy D'Arcy, Edward Connelly and Louise Lorraine. Besides still others.

John Gilbert's next avatar will be in the character of a Budapest gang leader in a picture called "The Day of Souls."

Mae Murray recently made a short and snappy visit to New York. . . . Dorothy Cumming has been selected for the rôle of the Madonna in Cecil De Mille's "The King of Kings." . "Blondes or Brunettes" is the title of a picture in which Adolphe Menjou will be starred. . . . Fifteen years ago Al Christie established the first movie studio in Hollywood-and started a lot of things. . . . The Christie Film Company is celebrating the occasion with appropriate enthusiasm. Chester Conklin and Charlie Murray are to be featured in "McFadden's Flats," for First National, a screen version of the old stage favorite. . . . Mary Alden will support W. C. Fields in "The Potters," "Manon," to be released by Warner Brothers shortly with John Barrymore and Dolores Costello in the leading rôles, will have a Vitaphone accompaniment.





CONSTANCE TALMADGE.

N April 19, 1900, Constance Talmadge (sister of Norma, as you don't need to be told) was born in the fair city of Brooklyn, N. Y., where she received her education. To this day legends of her brightness and vivacity persist in Erasmus Hall, where her high school years were passed; and it is the proud boast of many that they were her schoolmates in those golden days.

Having completed her course of academic indo no better than follow the footsteps of Sister Norma to the movie studios. It was an eminently judicious decision. Though her range of expression has never been as wide as Norma's, Constance has her own field of comedy in which she reigns unsurpassed.

Stardom, however, did not come to her at once. She began with a small part in D. W. Griffith's "Intolerance." Then came "Scandal" and "The Honeymoon," after which her name went up in bright lights over such pictures as "Up the Road With Sallie," "A Pair of Silk Stockings," "Romance and Arabella," "The Love Expert," "Dulcy" and "Her Night of Romance." She was last seen in "The Duchess of Buffalo."

Several months ago it was reported that Constance was about to retire from the screen, but she has changed her mind.



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MILTON SILLS FIGHTS FOR FRANCE IN "THE SILENT LOVER"



THE WIFE
OF A
SHEIK:
VIOLA
DANA
as Scadsza
in
"The Silent
Lover"
(First National).





THE CONQUERING AMERICAN GIRL:
VERA SHERMAN
(Natalie Kingston), Who Storms and Captures
the Heart of the Self-Exiled Count Tornai.

By Mitchell Rawson

If the moving pictures and various popular novels are to be believed, the Foreign Legion can't be such a bad outfit after all. It is full of outcasts and exiles from the four quarters of the globe; shady characters and outright villains abound in it; but it also includes the most high-minded and gallant heroes imaginable. In recent years so many of these heroes have taken refuge in the Legion that should you, reader, ever be forced to fly to the sands of Africa and enlist in that motley crew, the odds are even that your buddy would prove to be something like a reincarnation of Sir Lancelot, with the virtues of Galahad thrown in

But he will not tell you his story until you get to be very chummy indeed. The proper thing in the Legion, when any one is so unclubby as to inquire about one's past, is to draw oneself up very straight and say: "I am now a soldier of France!"

That is the reply that Milton Sills makes in "The Silent Lover" to inconvenient questions. It ought to squelch the most inquisitive. However, it failed to have that effect on Vera Sherman (Natalie Kingston), who liked Count Pierre Tornai (Mr. Sills) so much that

BEFORE THE CRASH: COUNT PIERRE TORNAI (Milton Sills) Lives a Dissipated Life in Paris, Which Leads to His Downfall and Exile to the Foreign Legion.

she went on asking questions until she had found out all about his personal history. France's lack of a Volstead act was responsible for the Count's undoing—that, and a beautiful but gold-digging lady who told him that she was hard up. Her plea appealed to the Count's generous heart; and as he had been imbibing, and the lady was very fair to see, he drew a check for a hundred thousand francs on the embassy of the nation which he represented in Paris. Shortly afterward he found himself in the Foreign Legion.

Unlike most of the gallant gentlemen of fact and fiction who betake themselves to the Legion, the Count doesn't have to serve in the ranks—at least not very long, for when we see him in Algiers he is a lieutenant, and doesn't look any older than he did when he signed the fatal check. Under his command are three legionnaires of varied extraction, who contribute the comedy element of the picture. Their names are Contarini, O'Reilly and Greenbaum, and the parts are played, respectively, by Claude King, Charlie Murray and Arthur Stone. The humorous possibilities of this international combination are utilized with a trowel.

There are two villains in the story—the inevitable Bedouin chieftain, Ben Achmed (Montague Love), and a French officer, Captain Herault (Arthur Edmund Carewe), who is enamored of the beautiful American girl, Vera Sherman, and resolves to get the Count out of the way regardless of the consequences. Another complication results from the presence in the desert fort of Scadsza (Viola Dana), the favorite wife of Ben Achmed, who has lost her heart to the Count.

The scenes in and around the fort when the Arabs



come to attack it are excellent. They are just like scenes in "Beau Geste" so far as costumes and background are concerned; but that was unavoidable. Arabs are Arabs and the Legion is the Legion. Furthermore the story is interesting and moves easily until the closing scenes, when a sudden finish spoils it all and makes the audience feel like the immortal Tony Weller when he remarked to his son: "Rayther a sudden pull-up, ain't it, Sammy?"

LORD

OF THE

DESERT:

MON-

LOVE

as Ben

Achmed,

Who Makes a

Lot of Trouble for the Hero

and Heroine.

Sam's reply (as all Dickensians will recall) was: "It'll make her wish there was more, and that's the great art o' letter-writin'." It is also the great art of movie-making, but "The Silent Lover" ends with too much of a jerk.

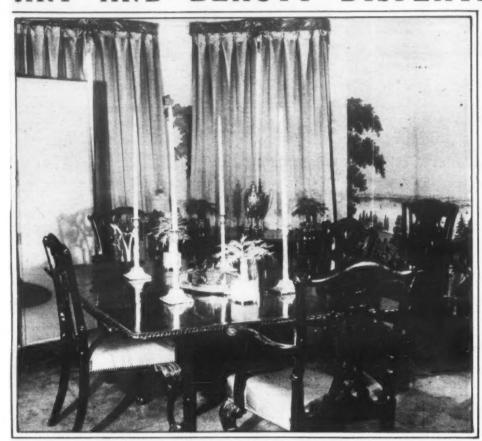
The picture is a First National production, and was shown at the Strand Theatre, New York, last week. All the characters are well cast and well played. Milton Sills of course is a most soldierly-looking individual. Montague Love is so convincing an Arab chieftain that he causes shivers to run up and down the spine of the looker-on. The ladies of the cast are very alluring. If only the directing heads had been willing to take the trouble to give the story a satis-



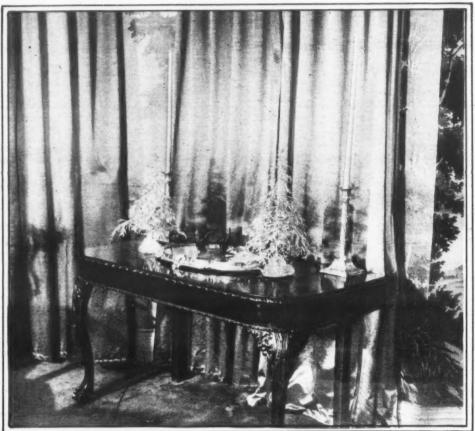
ANOTHER LEGION HERO: MILTON SILLS as Count Pierre Tornai in "The Silent Lover," as Seen by Fowler, the Caricaturist.

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TABLE DECORATIONS BEAUTY DISPLAYED IN AND ART



A SCENE OF ENCHANTMENT Is Created With These Dining Room Appointments in Which a Handsome Chippendale Table Is Set With Tall Tapers in Old Sheffield Candlesticks and Green Crystal Trees. Fish of Sea-Green Grass Rest on a Centre Mirror. The Tree Decorations on the Side Table Are Brilliant Black. (Rose Cumming, Decorator; Times Wide World Photos.)



ORNAMENTAL TREES OF INDESCRIBABLE DELICACY in Dazzling White Faintly Tinged With Rose, Resembling Christmas Trees Under a Fall of Snow. Scenic Wall Paper and Curtains of Apricot Satin Form a Background of Great Beauty. (Rose Cumming, Decorator; Times Wide World Photos.)

By Lillian Morgan Edgerton

HE manner of setting a table has become a definite point in the fashions of the day in interior decoration. It has, in a way, kept a sort of halfhearted pace with the style of decorating other parts of a house, but it is only within the last few years that attention has concentrated upon the dining table. Heretofore there has been a rather hard and fast rule that was really a convention by which the hostess or homekeeper was guided, going along familiar or traditional lines. For many women the subject has had little interest other than for practical purposes, and the table, aside from its essentials and its utility, has been given but casual attention.

The idea of following precedent, of setting a table in the old-fashioned way, has a fascination for some, especially for those who treasure old china and glass, the family plate and linen that have, perhaps, been handed down from generation to generation. Others who have a preference for Americana or for the dignified if somewhat stolid styles in tableware are among those who have kept to the usual way, entirely devoid of any hint of innovation. These are they who have been proud possessors of sets of china and glass and of the handsome damask cloths with which an American table has for centuries been set, whether for breakfast, luncheon or dinner.

"set" of fine china, of glass and silver, is still

essential, especially for formal dinner, but gradually a tendency toward artistic effect has changed the arrangement of the dinner table. The centrepiece was perhaps the first to be removed, and a guest found it not necessary to dodge a huge epergne or to peep around a mass of flowers in order to see his vis-a-vis and to enjoy the general conversation. Flowers are still, and always will be, an important item in the scheme of decorating the dining room table, but they are being used with more taste and discretion-with an eye to comfort as well as beauty. The stately epergne, too, with its flowers and fruit, has come back to some tables, along with other handsome things in glass and china, belonging to the style of the past century, but with an adaptation that fits them into present-day interiors.

It is the luncheon and tea table that have given to decorators and their clientele opportunity for the expression of original ideas, completely revolutionizing the approved and accepted style. Individuals have long indulged their fancy for an unconventional arrangement of their tables as in the general treatment of their homes, and some have been considered altogether eccentric in wishing to have something out of the ordinary. But the unusual has become the usual, and women now express their taste in the decoration of their tables as in the selection of their gowns. A few

 \Diamond

among representative interior decorators with vision, artistic sense and the courage of their convictionsone conspicuously successful-have illustrated the possibilities of beautifying the table.

ANSWERS TO LETTERS

Mrs. F. A. Loveland, Wrentham, Mass.-White is the logical and traditional treatment for the woodwork of an old Colonial house. Against this a scenic wall paper would be effective and is now very fashionable. Any sort of landscape pattern that you like will be good, also the Toile de Jouy design, which may be had in wall paper and cretonne to match. The bright scar-let shade would be test with your woodwork. The cotton goods are less expensive than the linen and both may be found at the better department stores in New York. Names of these will be sent to you privately. Quaint touches may be given to your rooms with quilted cotton covers, and with here and there a bit of needlework-an old sampler or a cushion done in petit

Miss Jane Dick, San Diego, Cal.-One of the leading decorators in New York, who has been very successful in decorating mountain cabins such as yours, advises that you stain the walls burnt orange throughout and lay Indian rugs-the Navajo type-on the floor. The casements might, if you prefer, be stained dark green or wood-brown. I have seen one cabin interior that was stunning done in the burnt orange stain, with black and white Navajo rugs on the floor.



THE LUNCHEON TABLE OF A NEW YORK HOSTESS

Whose Taste Inclines to the Classic Is Ornamented With Rare Antiques.

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RARE PIECES OF OLD PEWTER

Set the Table Completely, With a Background of Early American Furniture.

(Courtesy of Mrs. Ehrich, Decorator,) (Wood, Eddy & Slayter, Decorators.) Suggestions and Advice Regarding Home Decoration Will, on Request, Be Given by the Interior Decoration Editor, Mid-Week Pictorial, 229 West Forty-third Street, New York, N. Y.



UNCROPPED EARS: THIS BOSTON BULL TERRIER, Whose Organs of Hearing Have Not Been Subjected to the Shears, Is a Living Argument in Favor of the Anti-Cropping Campaign.

(1) H. Armstrong Roberts.)

Campaign Launched to End Cropping ofDogs' Ears









FTER years of untiring effort on the part of humane organizations it now looks as if the practice of dog cropping would be abolished by general consent as the result of a great wave of popular feeling against it.

By Ethele Walton Everett

Last year uncropped dogs were entered and awarded prizes offered by the A. S. P. C. A. in the Westminster Kennel Club Show in New York City, for the first time in the history of dog shows in this country.

Cropping in Great Britain, from which country the United States adopted the main outline of its sporting life, was absolutely stopped by the English Kennel Club as long ago as 1898, so this country is already twenty-eight years behind Great Britain in this respect.

For years practically every Boston terrier, bull terrier, great dane, Manchester terrier, toy terrier, Doberman Pinscher, wire-haired Pinscher and boxer shown in American dog shows has had its ears cropped. Many people having excellent dogs have

showing them because of that fact. Such dogs now have a chance to bring blue ribbons home to their masters or mistresses.

At the dog show held in Philadelphia in connection with the Sesqui-

centennial Exposition, under the auspices of the American Kennel Club, trophies were given through the American Humane Association for the best uncropped Boston terriers, bull terriers and Manchester

The cup offered by the Pennsylvania S. P. C. A. for the best Boston terrier with ears au naturel was won by Boyd's Little Tucker, owned by Archie Boyd of the Quaker City, the ten months' old puppy being his only entry and of his own breeding.

In bull terriers the trophy of the Animal Rescue League went to Cavalier Miss Maiden, shown by Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Stock of Canton, Ohio.

In the Manchesters the Women's Pennsylvania S. P. C. A. cup was carried off by Queensbury Bud,



A WHITE BULL TERRIER With His Ears as Nature Made Them. (Times Wide World Photos.)

entered by Mrs. Lawrence H. Wilbur of Haverford. This is the second occasion when trophies were competed for in the United States by uncropped dogs of breeds long familiar in shows cropped.

The success of the show resulted in the attempt to feel the public pulse on the subject of cropping. Now the Albany headquarters of the American Humane Association is being deluged with signatures pledging their owners to join the anti-cropping war. The pledges read:

"We, the undersigned, do hereby pledge ourselves not to buy any dog with cropped ears, nor to have our dogs' ears cropped.'

Names are pouring in from all over the country of persons pledging aid in the campaign.



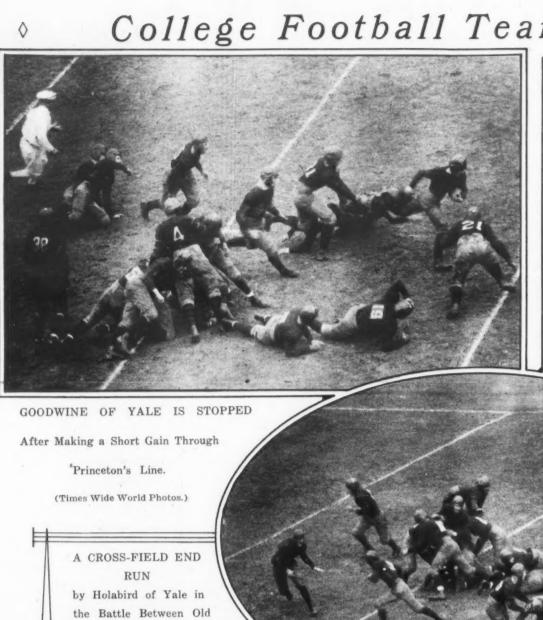
"NO REFORMS" HER PROGRAM: MRS. MATTIE of Richmond, Cal., Promises That During Her Term of Office There Will Be No Campaign Against Short Skirts, Cigarette Smoking by Women or Other Modern Phenomena of the Kind. (Times Wide World Photos.)





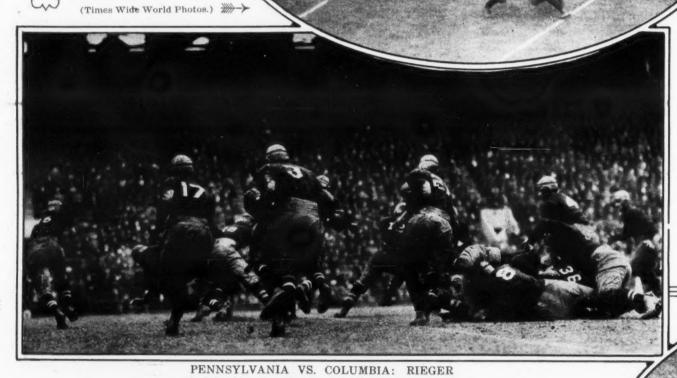
FORM: THESE BEAUTY CONTEST-ANTS in the Competition Held at the Ardmore
Women's Club, Ardmore, Pa., Are Men and
the Two Judges (in
Spite of the Mustache Worn by One of Them) Are Women. Left to Right: Mrs. Clifford H. Arnold, Mrs. C. Atwood
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Edward H. Ward,
Arthur C. Ward, Clifford H. Arnold, Kerwood L. Ayer and James Rothwell. (Times Wide World

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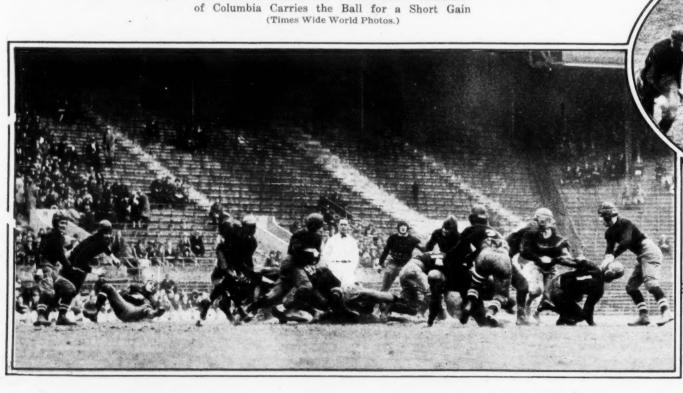


Eli and the Hosts of Nassau.

THE NEW STADIUM AT CORNELL: DARTMOUT GRIDIRON in Cornell's Brand-New Crescent. The Plan Is t the Right of the Photograph on the Other Side Close Score of 24



PRINCETON DEFEATS OLD
Breaks Through the Yale Line in the Game Which
(Times Wide World Pho



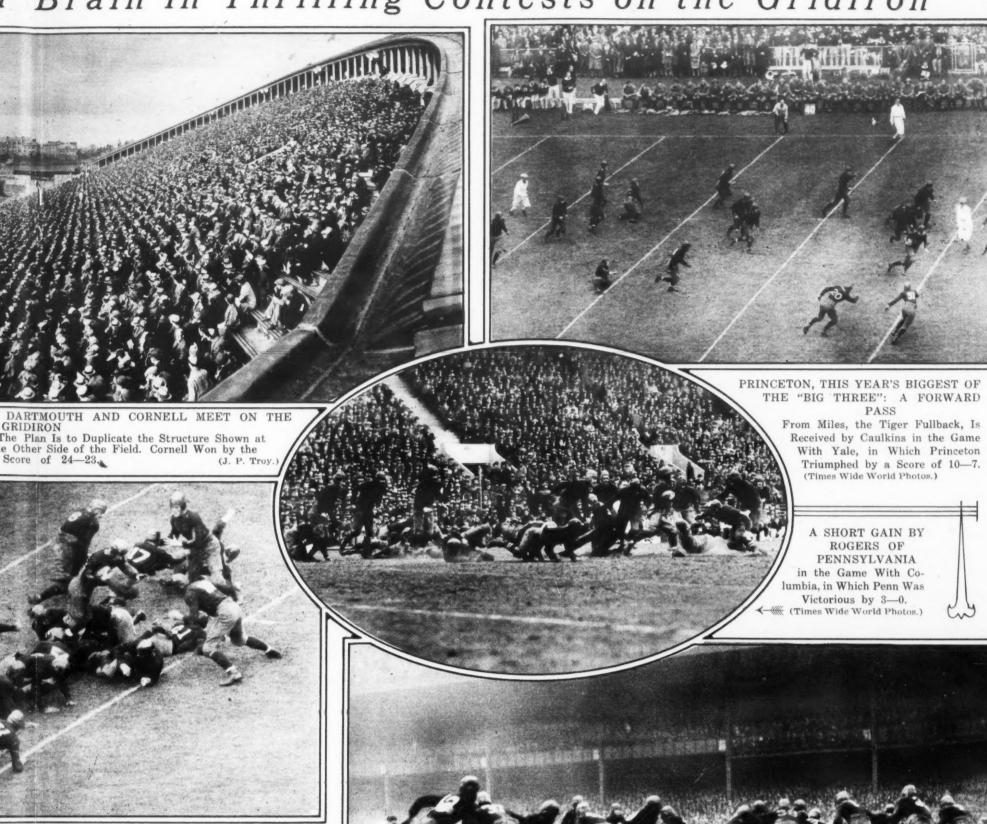
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GOING THROUGH THE TACKLE:
PAUL SCULL
of Penn Passes Columbia's Stalwart
Line.
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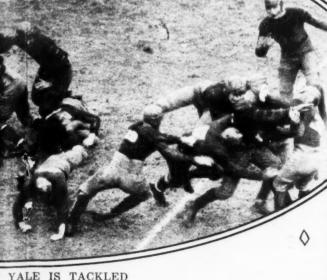
Brain in Thrilling Contests on the Gridiron



EATS OLD ELI: BARUCH Game Which Ended 10-7 in Favor of Princeton.



THE START OF FLANAGAN'S RUN: A 63-YARD SPRINT
Resulted in the Only Touchdown in the 7—0 Game Between West Point and Notre Dame, Which
the Latter Won.
(Times Wide World Photos.)

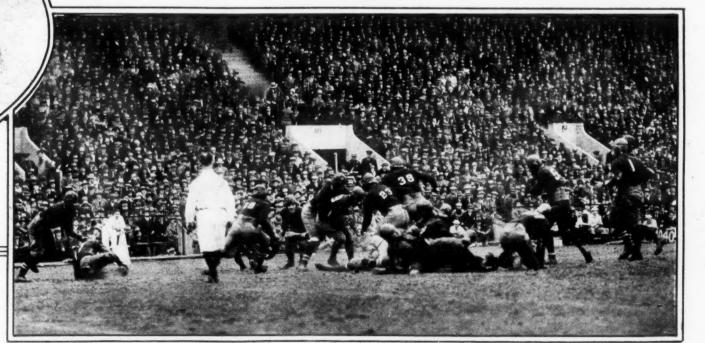


F YALE IS TACKLED

Break Through the Princeton Line.

(Times Wide orld Photos.)

PENNSYLVANIA VS. COLUMBIA: ROGERS OF PENN Is Tackled by Madden of Columbia. The Final Score Was 3-0. (Times Wide World Photos.)



Australian Movie Depicts Old Convict Days





THE CONVICTS STRIKE FOR FREEDOM: INSPECTOR TROKE Is Tied Up in the Bush. This Scene Was Taken Near the Spot Where the Actual Incident Occurred.

THE CHAIN
GANG: ONE
OF THE
REALISTIC
SCENES
From "For the
Term of His
Natural Life,"
Taken in
Tasmania on the
Site of One of
the Old Convict
Settlements.





TEA AT A PRISON CAMP: SYLVIA, THE HEROINE of "For the Term of His Natural Life," Is Horrified at One of the Sights of the Penal Colony.

ONSIDERABLE discussion has been aroused in Australasia by the preparation of a moving-picture version of Marcus Clark's famous novel, "For the Term of His Natural Life," dealing with the convict system which prevailed in Tasmania and other parts of Australia a century or so ago.

In those days criminals were transported from Great Britain to the Antipodes, and the convict settlements were ruled with no gentle hand. Marcus Clark's novel, which still has a wide sale, presents a vivid picture of the penal colonies. In making the moving picture every effort has been exerted to reproduce faithfully the scenes, types and costumes of those early days.

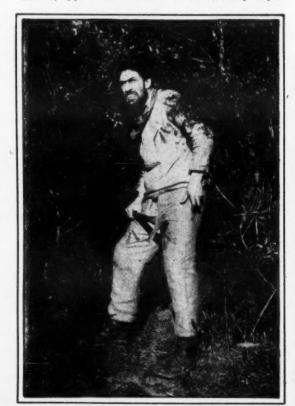
The picture is produced by Australasian Films, Ltd. land and the result is said to be a super-production Film stars were imported from America and Engwhich will be recognized as a triumph of the cinema art.

Certain sections of the public in Australia have expressed strong objections to the whole project. An attempt was made to have the taking of the pictures prohibited by the Government. When this move was defeated it was suggested that the Australian Customs Department prevent the films being sent out of the country. Some people in Australia are sensitive on the subject of the old penal settlements and think it

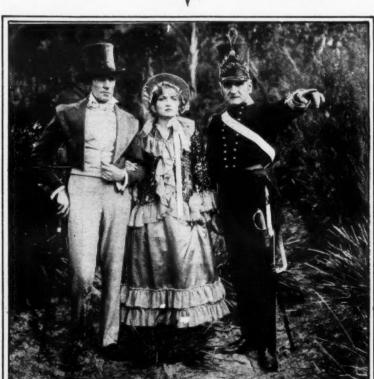
undesirable that movie spectators all over the world should associate the idea of Australia with that of the unlovely methods of punishment of the early nineteenth century.

In spite of opposition, however, it is probable that "For the Term of His Natural Life" will be on view in the United States within the next few months. Its historic interest and the merits of the story as a story should win favor with the picture public.

The Australians should not be supersensitive. No nation but has things to regret. Indeed all history may be regarded as a closetful of skeletons. If the bones shake once in a while, what matter?



A SPECTRE FROM THE BUSH:
GABBETT, THE ESCAPED CONVICT,
Makes His Appearance in a Scene From "For
the Term of His Natural Life."



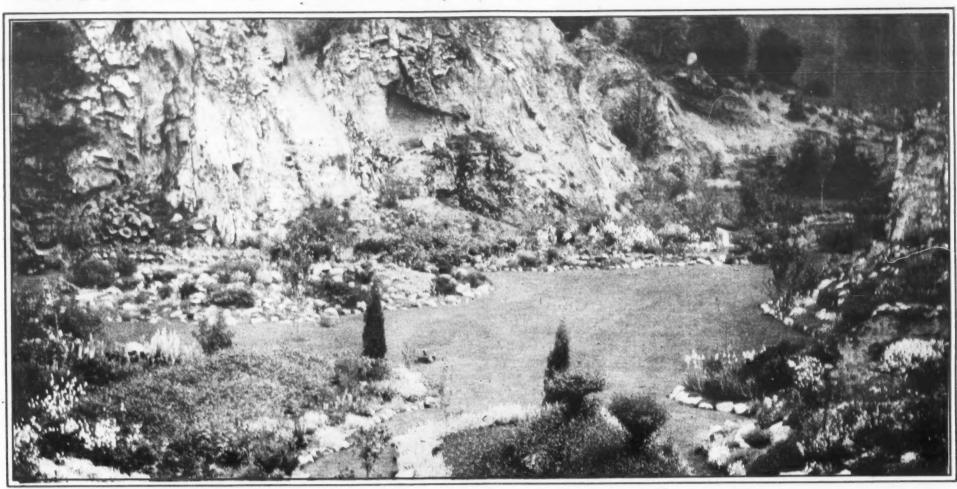
THE COMMANDANT AS HOST: CARLETON STEWART (Right) as Commandant Burgess of the Convict Settlement, Eva Novak as Sylvia and Dunstan Webb as Maurice Frere.

(Photos Courtesy Illustrated Tasmanian Mail.)



IN "FOR THE TERM OF HIS NATURAL LIFE": EVA NOVAK, Who Plays the Rôle of Sylvia, and George Fisher, Who Doubles the Parts of Rufus Dawes and John Rex in the Film Version of the Famous Novel by Marcus Clark.

VANCOUVER AND VICTORIA, TWIN CITIES OF THE DOMINION





MALAHAT DRIVE,

Near Victoria, Showing Giant Douglas Fir

Trees.

(Courtesy Canadian Pacific Railway.)

NEAR "THE EVERGREEN CITY"; BUTCHARD'S GARDENS, Victoria, an Old Quarry Which Has Been Beautified Until It Is One of the Sights of the City.



BEACON HILL PARK, One of the Beauty Spots of Victoria. (Courtesy Canadian Pacific Railway.)



GUARDING THE WESTERN PORTAL:
THE LIONS,
Twin Peaks Which Overlook the Harbor of
Vancouver.
(Courtesy Canadian Pacific Railway.)

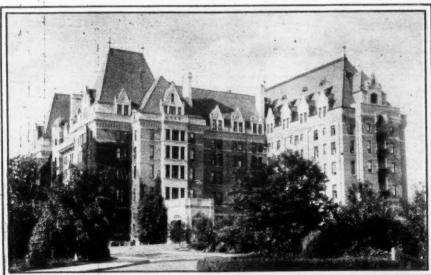
ANCOUVER and Victoria, the "Twin Cities of the Pacific," are rivals, in their way, like St. Paul and Minneapolis. Despite the fact that Vancouver and Victoria are widely separated by the Strait of Georgia, tourists visit both cities, which in reality are divergent from the viewpoint of atmosphere and scenic beauty, and at variance in most respects.

Less than seventy years ago Vancouver was a virgin forest; today the port of Vancouver has reached such proportions that it is beginning to rank with many of the larger ports of the world. Vast cargoes of Alberta wheat leave Vancouver for the Orient and Europe by way of the Panama Canal. Here ships dock from almost all countries, and those from the Orient carry priceless cargoes of silk. These are rushed across the continent in special trains, which often make faster time by a day than express trains.

Vancouver is a cosmopolitan city and has many delightful characteristics. The mountains reach down to the sea in Vancouver, and many of the summits are snow-clad till late Summer. "The Lions," two peaks which look like crouching animals to many, overlook the harbor as sentinels of strength. Skiing on the mountains in the higher altitudes and sea bathing can be had on the same day by those who enjoy contrasts. The Grouse Mountain Highway, completed this Summer, is one of the most spectacular

motor roads on this continent. Starting at sea level, it climbs many thousand feet, affording a view from all directions unsurpassed anywhere.

Most visitors who come to Vancouver enjoy seeing the large trees in Stanley Park, some of them measuring more than eight feet in diameter and frequently ten feet across. These majestic trees, noble compan-



HOLLY TREES, ENGLISH IVY AND SHRUBS,
Green Throughout the Year, Surround the Empress
Hotel in Victoria.
(Courtesy Canadian Pacific Railway.)

ions of man, give-a sublimity to this district and a realization of the youthfulness of our modern era.

Victoria, now looked upon as one of North America's most delightful winter resorts from the viewpoint of climate and beauty, consisted half a century ago of a meagre population of Hudson Bay employes, who dwelt inside the high stockade of the old fort. The

transformation in these few years has been great. Victoria, the "Evergreen City of Canada," is a city of flowers; the Scotch broom in the early spring and the heavy in winter add to the attractiveness of this flower kingdom. Victoria, like Vancouver, is now an important seaport for both coastwise and ocean shipping, the last or first port of cll for service between Canada and China, Japan, Australia and New Zealand.

The Winters on the Pacific Coast are remarkably mild and the Summers cool, owing to the tempering effect of the Pacific Ocean. Rains occur in Winter on the eastern coast of Vancouver Island, but the precipitation is comparatively light, and at the southern extremity about Victoria it is remarkably so, while the amount of bright sunshine exceeds that recorded at other British Columbia stations. The mean temperature for the year 1925 was 51 degrees Fahrenheit, and the precipitation for the same year was 20.57 inches; from these quotations it can be readily understood why the climate is so delightful.

WHERE THE LIGHTS OF BROADWAY THEATRES GLEAM



BEHIND THE

FOOTLIGHTS

RUSSELL MACK.



at the Lyceum Theatre. (White

Studios).

BOBBY CLARK AND PAUL McCULLOUGH, With McCullough at Left, Playing in "The Ramblers," at the Lyric Theatre. (New York Times Studios.)

STANCE

CARPENTER,

in "Oh, Kay!"

the New

Musical

FRANCES WILLIAMS (She of the Charleston), in George White's "Scandals," at the Apollo Theatre.
(White Studio.)



USSELL MACK has a great job. He R spends twenty-four hours a week making people laugh. In Myron Fagan's comedy, "The Little Spitfire," which is now in its third brilliantly successful month at the Cort Theatre, Mr. Mack impersonates a young cigar store clerk who is bursting with confidence but fettered by fate. Marty Gorman is a braggart youth with great ideas which never reach fruition-a character as exasperating and as amusing as "The Show-Off," and one in which Mr. Mack keeps his audience on the high tide of laughter." Born in Oneonta, N. Y., Russell Mack

went with his parents to live in Providence, R. I., when a child and completed a high school education in that city. His father is a newspaper man and wanted his young son to follow in his footsteps, but young Mack preferred the stage. Wanting to be an actor and being one were different matters, however, and the only way the ambitious lad saw to wedge his way into the stage door was through a managerial job. So he became assistant manager of the Scenic Temple Theatre in Providence and through a subsequent managerial position got into vaudeville, where he so proved his genius for comedy that it was a less difficult step to musical comedy. He made his first bow to New York in Arthur Hammerstein's musical piece entitled "Always You." After that it was easy sailing, one musical comedy following another until "The Fourflusher" launched Mr. Mack in a fine characterization in straight comedy. While he has played again in a musical show in between, it is light comedy that Mr. Mack best loves, and he hopes that theatres will continue to offer him as finely drawn characterizations as that of Marty Gorman in "The Little Spitfire."



FRANCES UPTON, in "Twinkle, Twinkle," at the Liberty Theatre. (De Barron Studios.)



fourth Street Theatre. (De Mirjian Studios.)

SALLY

NYE,

in "Katja,

the Dancer,"

at the Forty-





EVA LE GALLIENNE, in Ibsen's "John Gabriel Borkman," Presented by the Civic Repertory Theatre. (Nickolas Muray.)

GRACE HAMPTON, as Lady Beekman in "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes," at the Times Square Theatre.

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BULLFROG SPECIALIST SEES GOLDEN FUTURE FOR INDUSTRY





CLEAN, HEALTHY AND A BONNY FIGHTER: SUCH IS THE BULL-FROG'S NATURE,
According to Emil Hendrich, Who Is Specializing in Their Production and Believes the Industry Has a Great Future.

(Times Wide World Photos.)

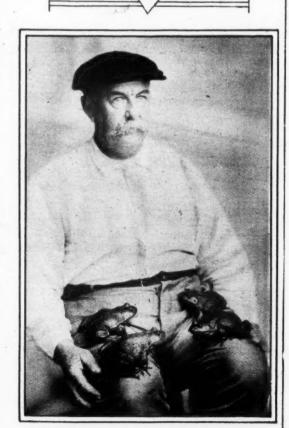
SOME OF THE HENDRICH BULL-FROGS: POTENTIAL RICHES Lie in the Breeding of These Amphibians, According to the Man Who Has Studied the Problem Intensively. (Times Wide World Photos.)

I N an age of specialization Emil Hendrich of Washington, Mo., stands forth as the man who probably knows more about bullfrogs than any other human being. Hendrich is 57 years old. He was trained as a civil engineer at Washington University and practiced that profession for eight years in New York City. The call of the wild proved irresistible, however, and in the years that hav lowed he has amassed a practical and theoretical anowledge of natural history which might be envied by many an authority on biology and the kindred sciences.

Bullfrogs are now his special subject. He has announced that a fortune can be made in bullfrog culture properly conducted. On one acre of ground, he asserts, 18,000 frogs can be raised and marketed at from \$3.75 to \$12.00 a dozen. At present he is experimenting on one-fiftieth of an acre. The number of frogs which he has just now is rather indefinite. It is almost impossible to count them as they jump about so confusingly, but Hendrich's estimate is around 200.

Fro., according to this student of their nature and habits, are the cleanest and healthiest creatures in the animal kingdom. They are fearless fighters. One of them has been known to fight a rat and kill him.

The Federal authorities are said to be much interested in Hendrich's experiments, as they may bear on future problems of food production.



THE BULLFROG MAN: EMIL HENDRICH of Washington, Mo., Who Says That a Fortune Can Be Made by Raising the Croaking Tribes in One's Backyard.

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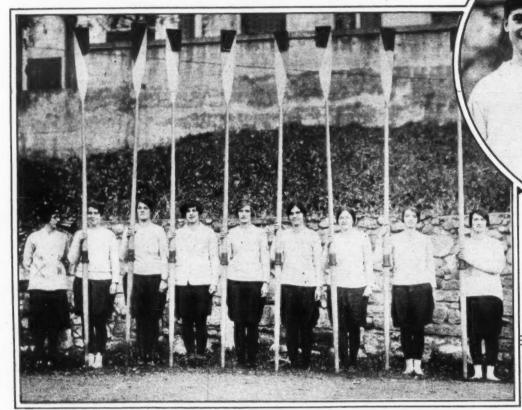
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WELLESLEY ON THE WATER: THE CLASS CREWS

Go to the Starting Line for the First Intramural Race of the Season.

(Times Wide World Photos.)



TAINS OF
THE CREWS: WELLESLEY
GIRLS

Who Command the Boats of Their Respective Classes. Left to Right: Helen Reynolds, Senior Crew; Isa-

bel Angus, Junior; Demaris

Davis,

Sopho-

more;

Frances Pierce,

Freshman.

(Times Wide World Photos.

WHIPPERS OF THE WAVES: FAIR OARS-WOMEN

Who Form the Senior Crew at Wellesley. Left to Right: Helen Reynolds, Harriet Clark, Elsie Jousen, Mary Neal, Delia Tracy, Helen Storel, Dorothy Edivann, Rosamond Lane and Isabel Mc-Kerracher.

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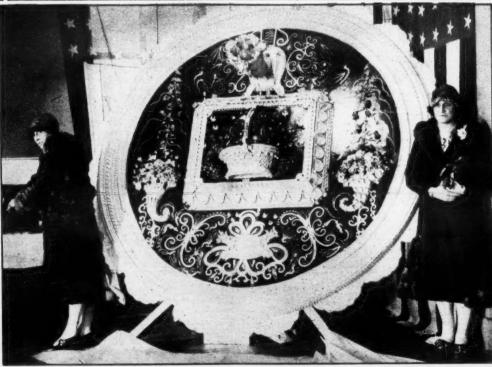
QUEEN OF THE TOM-BOYS: BETTY LOU ROB-INSON

of Wichita, Kan., 6 Years
Old, Won the Title in a Contest at Which Girls of All
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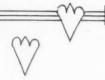
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BRUIN'S FINISH: FISH AND GAME
WARDEN E. H. METCALF
of Brattleboro, Vt., Brought Down This
Big Black Bear, Which Weighed 310
Pounds.
(Photo Bigelow, From Charles E. Crane.)



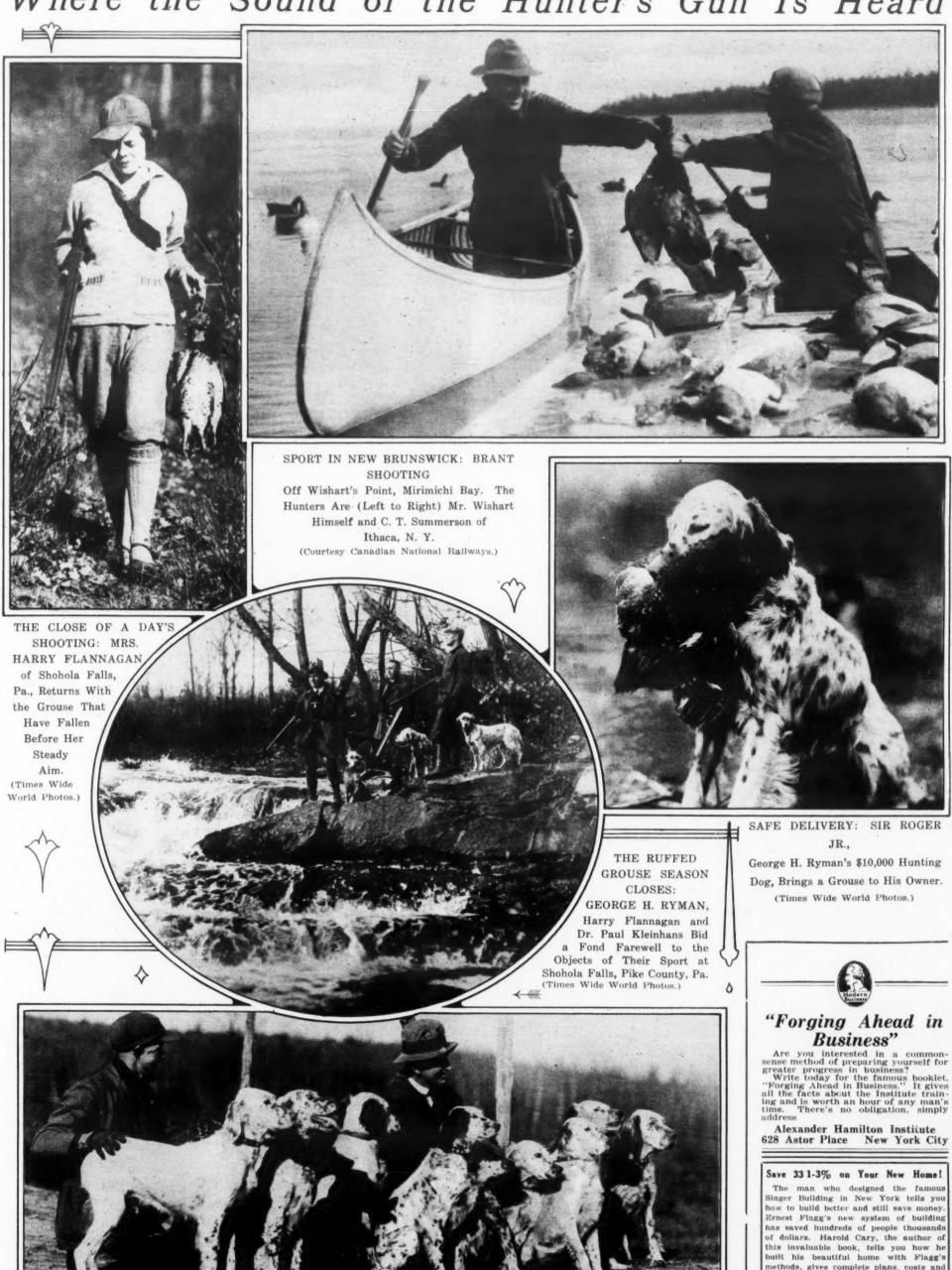
A RADIO CAKE: ONE OF THE MOST STRIKING EXHIBITS at the National Hotel Exposition Held in Grand Central Palace, New York. The Cake Weighs 425 Pounds and Is Ten Feet High. Miss Dorothy Drebber of Brooklyn is Shown Tuning in at the Radio and Miss Elizabeth Tattersall of the Bronx Is Standing at the Right. (Times Wide World Photos.)



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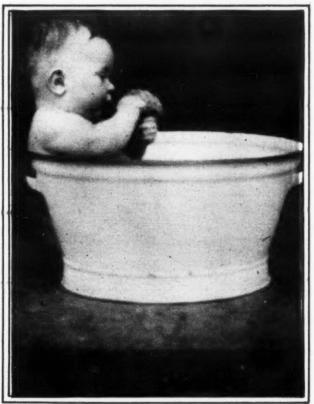
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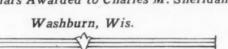
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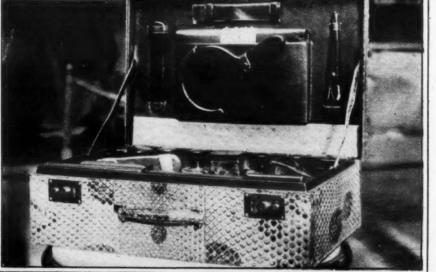
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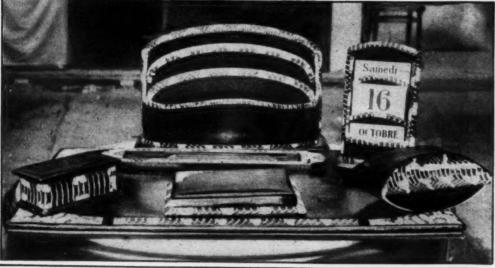
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Skins, With

Fittings in Amber, From Alpina.



EXOTIC SNAKESKIN FOR DESK ACCESSORIES: a Red Pin Seal Set Trimmed in Kalimanxas, From Alpina. (Photos Bonney, from Times Wide World.)



From St. Didier, With Fittings and Bands in Water Serpent, Shown at the 1926 Automobile Salon. Coat and Hat From Redfern.

16 Rue de la Paix, Paris, Nov. 12, 1926. EPTILE skin in the decorative arts! . . . the genreal trend continues further and further toward the exctic. We are getting away from the feeling that we are living in a materialistic age and instead have the sense of being in the dawn of a very romantic and adventuresome one. When airships fly around the globe and pictures are sent across the ocean through mere space, then it is high time that our shoes were made of lizard from Calcutta, and our gloves of lizard from Java, and the very chairs we sit in of the hypnotic spots of some boa from a strange and far-off jungle.

The importing and marketing of reptile skin has become overnight one of the big "industries de luxe" in France. By no means think that the serpent sells his skin cheaply

-to possess some bit of him is this season's sign of luxury. Reptile skin is ubiquitous. At the Automobile Salon which has just closed at the Grand Palais in Paris St. Didier showed several stunning car models upholstered in the new skins. At the International Leather Fair, also held in Paris, Alpina's reptile booth was the outstanding exhibit. Here we saw chairs of boa and Karung (water serpent) made by one of the great modern interior decorators of France; bags and purses in the same from Bernard, shoes in pearlized lizard, white crocodile, Karutcho (fishskin) and lizard by such bottiers as Delterme and Miccuci; smoking accessories-pouches, pipe holders, garette cases in Karung and Java lizard; smart luggage in Karung or boa; cravats for men in Karung or boa, and gloves in boa, Java lizard, Karung and Kalimanxas. Kalimanxas is a great favorite-with dark red pin seal it develops an ultra-modern desk set, and combined with bright red flannel makes nothing less than a stunning dog's coat for the new season.

Such was the most stimulating exhibit in recent months. The mere names of Karung, Kalimanxas, Karutcho, Java and Calcutta lizard have a fascination, while the effect of their patterns, instead of seeming to be one of the oldest things in the world, has all the decorative appeal of the ultra-modern movement in art. Astonishing things have already been created in the new manner and from the rumors afloat of what the designers of Paris have in further store we believe that at last even the snake has evolved from his lowly place in the animal kingdom.





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With an Infantry
Team at Peking,
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In the Centre of the
Group (Left) Is Colonel
Louis McC. Little of the
American Legation Guard
of Marines, and at His Right
Is Major Charles F. B. Price.
(Times Wide World Photos.)



IN "SANTA CLAUS'S WORKROOM": GIRLS AT LUBEC, ME.,
Making Miniature Quoddy Bay Boats Whose Future Owners Will See Them First on Christmas
Morning.
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From the Left.
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STRANGE COSTUMES IN NORTH DAKOTA: QUEEN MARIE (Right), Prince Nikolas and Princess Ileana on the Rear Platform of Their Special Train at Mandan.

(Courtesy Northern Pacific Ry.)

ICATING A
MUSEUM:
QUEEN
MARIE OF
RUMANIA,
With Sam
Hill at Her
Left and
Prince
Nikolas,
Princess
Ileana and
Mayor Baker
of Portland,
Ore., Visits
Maryhill,
Wash., to
Grace the
Ceremonies
at the Hill
Museum.
(Times Wide
World Photos.)



SPORTS AND SPORTSMEN-NOT FORGETTING SPORTSWOMEN





RIVAL ARCHERS FROM TWO UNIVERSITIES: PENN AND TEMPLE CO-EDS Draw the Bow in a Contest Held in Philadelphia in the Best Traditions of Robin Hood and Sherwood Forest. (Times Wide World Photos.)

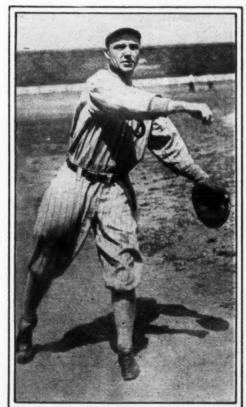
A. C. ATHLETES Who Won the Relay Event Between Philadelphia and Atlantic City. Left to Right: George Prim, Ilmar Prim; Carl Koski, Josta Nyman, Louis Tikkaman, John Tousmi-koski, Gunnar Nilson, koski, Gunnar Nilson, David Fagerlund, John Mykbeem, Carl Willberg, Clemens Sandkulla, Ove Anderson, Willie Ritola and Hugo Quest.



BALL ON A BICYCLE: "BRICK" MULLER, Former Star Athlete of the University of California and the Olympic Games, Who Now Has a Professional Football Team of His Own. This Is How He Keeps Fit.

AT THE TARGET: MISS VIRGINIA WINGERT, Manager of the University of Pennsylvania Co-Eds' Archery Team, at the Joint Meet of the Girls From Penn and **← ∰Temple University.**(Times Wide World Photos.)

THE WEEK'S SPORTING CELEBRITY



RAY SCHALK.

FTER having served under five managers of the Chicago White Sox since he first joined the team, fourteen years ago, Ray Schalk, the veteran catcher, has been made manager of the club in succession to Eddie Collins, who will probably be unconditionally released.

Schalk is 32 years of age and is a native of Litchfield, Ill. His first professional baseball was played as a member of the Taylorville (Ill.) club. In 1911 he was with Milwaukee, in the American Association, and in the Autumn of 1912 he was purchased by President Charlie Comiskey of the White Sox for \$12,000.

So small in stature is Schalk that it is said no uniform could be found to fit him when he first joined the team.

During his career he has caught in more than 1,600 games, which beats the record of "Chief" Meyers, the former receiving agent of the New York Giants. In 1920 he caught 151 games, which is

also a major league record. In explaining the appointment of Schalk as pilot of the White Sox, President Comiskey said:

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